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Lions Given Talk on East Kootenay Power Co.

Addressed by Mr. Macken, Operating Superintendent; Traced History of Company's Development.

Coleman Lions were privileged at their regular super-meeting on Monday evening to listen to an interesting address by Mr. Keith Macken, operating superintendent of East Kootenay Power Co.

The speaker had been with the company for the past twenty years and has helped develop the plant almost from its infancy to the highly important industrial unit it is to-day.

He told of the parent plant and how in the early days only one line ran from it to the east and west to feed the eastern portion of Alberta and also Cranbrook and Kimberly. How as industry developed and the population grew it became necessary to install two wires to service the respective districts and later to build a second large plant at Elk, B.C.

He told of the problems of maintain service, one of the most important being water. When the water in the river on which the parent plant was located was low, less power could be generated. To overcome the problem of low water the Sentinel Power feeder plant was built and which is a steam plant.

The tie up with Calgary Power Company was explained and which he stated was working to the mutual benefit of both parties.

An interesting disclosure in his address was the fact that at Bellevue there is located a piece of equipment, which is among the most modern in the world of electricity. At Bellevue is an automatic piece of machinery which tells at a glance by a chart whether Calgary is feeding East Kootenay or vice versa. Electrical waves from this chart are automatically transferred onto a power line and draws an identical chart in an office at the parent plant.

Mr. Macken was given a hearty vote of thanks for his interesting address. He was accompanied from Fernie by a former Colmanite, Dr. R. H. Campbell, who relayed acquaintances with a number of friends.

SLUGG AND RYPIEN TO PLAY HOCKEY AT EDMONTON

Jimmy Slugg and John Rypien, two of Coleman's most promising hockey youngsters, have left for Edmonton, where they will play for a junior club. It is said they will line up with Edmonton Canadians.

Coleman Branch, Canadian Red Cross Society

Annual Meeting

in the COUNCIL CHAMBER

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18th, at 8 p.m.

All members, Organization representatives and those interested are invited to attend.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received for the Hauling and Disposal of ASHES AND GARBAGE from the houses of Coleman. Tenders to be in the hands of the Town Secretary not later than SATURDAY, JANUARY 15th, 1944.

TOWN COUNCIL.

NAMES OF MEMBERS OF ARMED SERVICES ARE STILL REQUIRED

There is still time to get the name of a local member of the armed forces to Mayor Antrobus for listing on the Town's honor roll. Names of persons who have enlisted during the past few weeks are eligible for being placed on the list, so get them into the mayor's office as soon as possible.

Andrew Dow Heads Curling Club

Curling Rink Open at Week-end for First Time in Three Years; New Executive Chosen

The value of a community Sports Association was much in evidence this week-end when one of the largest attendances at a Coleman curling club meeting in years took place on Sunday evening to re-organize the local club. This is the first time in three years that the club will operate. Lack of a proper roof was the main reason for closing in the past. Lack of snow this year has up to the present eliminated the fear of snow thawing on the roof causing dripping water to fall on the ice and ruin it. The fact that all curlers are members of the Sports Association, which is responsible for the lower dues this year, is also a dominant factor in the pleasing response for membership.

Andy Dow was the popular choice for president. George Jenkins, a new but enthusiastic curler, was elected vice-president. A. Balloch was voted into office to serve his eleventh year as secretary. The executive included J. Kerr, A. A. Fraser, L. S. Richards, H. Houghton and W. Hoggan. The schedule committee includes A. A. Fraser, G. Jenkins and A. Balloch.

Friendly games are being played this week until all rinks have been filled. Eight rinks were filled last Sunday evening but since then there have been additional members secured and it looks as though eleven rinks will compete for McGillivray and Merchant Cup competitions.

Fees have been set at: Association members \$5.00 Non-Association members 12.00 Members not resident within school district 1216 8.00

The club would like to secure some members from Sentinel Power Plant. These men can either be listed in a rink or allowed to act as rovers.

Late Wednesday evening twelve rinks had been formed with names still being received.

The Crows Nest Pass bonspiel will be held at Blairmore on Sunday, Jan. 23. Coleman will very likely have a few rinks competing.

Cigarette Fund Notes

Dear Friends: I hope this card finds you all in the best of spirits, enjoying the best of health and looking forward to a better New Year. Many thanks for the cigs AL McQuarrie.

Dear Sirs: Received your most welcome cigarettes today. Thanks a million to you and your generous organization, they sure are appreciated over here. I am hoping everything is fine in the old home town Joe Bodisch.

Dear Sirs: Received your most welcome gift of cigs, and thanks a million for them as they are really appreciated. As I am writing this Xmas is just around the corner so I'll take this opportunity to wish the Legion staff and members the best of luck in the next coming year. There are a few Coleman lads in this camp and so far have met Francis Mason, Joe Pardell, John Nimcan. All are well. Jasper Jones.

Dear Friends: Received another 300 Sweet Caps for which I thank you very much. It's several weeks now since I've seen any of the Coleman boys but I hope to meet some of them in London on Christmas day John Kanik.

Dear Sirs: Many thanks for the most welcome gift of 300 Sweet Caps which I received O.K. They are more than welcome now as they are the first I have received for the past three months. There were 600 sent to the unit from the holding unit where I was stationed for a month. I only received 300 of them and am hoping the others will catch up with me. I haven't any cigs. but

Pte. Lawrence Jankulak Killed In Action



—Lethbridge Herald Engraving
Official word was received from Ottawa on Friday, Jan. 7, notifying Mr. and Mrs. John Jankulak of the death of their son, Pte. Lawrence Joseph Jankulak, above, aged 21, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, 1943, while in action on the Italian front.

The parents received a wire from Ottawa on Wednesday, Jan. 5 informing them that their son had been wounded in action. His wounds must have been severe as he died the same day he received them.

Pte. Jankulak was born in Coleman, May 4, 1922. He resided here till his enlistment at Calgary in July, 1942. He trained at Currie Barracks for a few months, going overseas in January, 1943. After serving in Britain he was transferred to North Africa and then to Sicily where he was in action. He had been with the Canadians since they first landed in Italy.

His mother died here June 26, 1925. Surviving are his father, step-mother, two brothers and sisters.

A memorial service was held at Holy Ghost church on Monday morning, the church being well filled with mourners and sympathizers. Rev. Father L. Sullivan conducted the service.

I expect some in this week from home or the Ukrainian Ladies' Society John Nimcan.

Dear Sirs: Received your parcel of cigarettes and as usual they were very deeply appreciated. I have been having things pretty easy of late as we have been moved and it takes a little time to settle down. I wish to thank the members of the Cigarette Fund who work at keeping the fund going and to those who so kindly donated to it. — Bill Naylor.

Dear Sirs: Received Xmas cigarettes. Many thanks. Wishing you the best for the coming year P/O C. O. Godfrey.

Dear Sirs: Received your cigarettes. Thanks a lot. Tony Pietraszko.

Algeria, N.A.
Dear Sirs: Thanking you all for 600 cigarettes which I received this week. I will be leaving this convalescent depot tomorrow and will be going to a re-inforcement depot, so I guess it will be some time yet before I can rejoin my unit up at the front. It is drawing closer to Xmas now, but it certainly doesn't appear anything like it does almost every day now. One need not wear an overcoat as warm clothing isn't necessary. — Herman Hirsch.

Dear Sirs: I thank you very much for the cigarettes I received today. They are really appreciated by my chums and I—Wm. Harrison.

Ashman Quits; Unable to Get Suitable Help

Council Asks For Tenders on Garbage Collections; Temporary Measures Being Taken at Present Time.

Tenders are being asked by the Town Council on the garbage collection throughout the town. H. Maalen, ashman for the past two months, resigned the contract when he became unable to secure suitable help. Shortage of labor has been the problem as the council seeks to secure an ashman.

In the meantime ashes have been piling up in all back alleys, which are fast becoming an eyesore. To help alleviate the situation, Messrs. R. Jackson and M. Fleming have been pressed into service with their trucks to help clean up some of the ashes.

Up to Wednesday morning (yesterday) only one tender had been received. Tenders will be received at the town hall up to Saturday, Jan. 15.

CURLING CLUB STARTS SCHEDULE

The competitions at the local curling club got underway on Tuesday evening. Two rinks are in play at the present time with the third sheet expected to be ready within a few days.

Tuesday's results: Antle 16, Rippon 4; Kerr 15, Hoggan 7.

MEMBERS OF AIR CADET STAFF NO. 4 COMMAND ARE VISITING THE LOCAL UNIT

Sgt. Fisher, administration clerk, and Cpl. James, disciplinary were in town this week making a regular routine check-up of the local air cadet unit. The two officers have given the local unit an excellent report on their progress.

Sgt. Worger, educational sergeant, will visit the local unit next Tuesday. It is expected he will take part in the lectures given the students by their local officers on that day.

Help your country to victory—enlist now!

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP CARDS BEING DISTRIBUTED

The Coleman Community Sports Association committee have been very busy this past week filling out and distributing Association membership cards. The miners will receive theirs this past week end, while the merchants and their staffs have been given theirs by a small committee on main street who are aiding the association committee in the distribution.

Coleman Red Cross Financial Statement

Current Account	373.13
Total cash on hand and in bank	373.13
Subscriptions	33.07
Donations	104.05
Receipts from Campaign for Funds	2006.14
Concerts, Dances, etc.	123.35
Total A	2644.74
Paid to Alberta Division Office for Merchandise and Supplies etc.	797.64
War Contributions transferred to Alberta Div. office	1,500.00
Printing and Stationery	10.35
Other expenses	12.66
Total Disbursements	2415.50
Office and Sundry expenses	94.85
Cash on hand as at end of December	2.00
Current Account	227.24
Total B	2644.74

J. A. Park, Sec. Treas.

I have compared the above statement with the Cash Book of the Coleman Branch and I have counted the cash on hand and compared the bank balances held in the Canadian Commerce Bank at Coleman, with the Bank Pass Book, and I have, as auditor to the Branch, reviewed the transactions for the year ending 31st December, 1943, and I certify that the above is a true statement of the transactions of the Branch and the cash on hand and bank balances for the year ending 31st December, 1943.

J. Emmerson, Auditor

AIR CADETS ISSUED WITH GREAT COATS

Coleman air cadets, 78 strong, were issued with great coats by the Royal Canadian Air Force a week ago. The boys look real smart in the new coats.

RONALD JONES ARRIVES OVERSEAS

Cpl. Ronald Jones, RCAF, has arrived safely overseas according to a wire received from him by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jones, this week.

Important Notice

All Sports' Association Members must produce their Membership Cards at the Arena before going on the ice. Failure to produce card will result in caretaker charging a Fee for evening's skating.

Signed—COMMITTEE.

CITIZENS Your Co-Operation, Please!

Due to the fact that a larger Honor Roll has had to be ordered from Ottawa, additional time has been granted those persons who have not yet recorded the names of their relatives in the armed forces. Please co-operate with us in having an honor roll as complete as it is possible to make it. Take those names to Mayor Antrobus NOW. Thank You.

THE TOWN COUNCIL.

Routine Matters Discussed By School Board

Will Explain to Barnett Condition Existing Between Teachers and Board; Holley and Snod Terms Expired at End of Month

Coleman School Board held a meeting in the Board room on Tuesday evening, present Chairman Evans, Trustees McNeill, Snod, and Stigler.

An insurance policy in Central school expired on Jan. 11 and was renewed with R. R. Pattinson.

A letter was received from the secretary of Coleman sub-local of the A.T.A. It stated that the teachers had met at a special meeting and that they considered themselves to be within their rights to any number on their committee and that the teachers would only meet the Board as a committee of the whole.

Board decided to refuse to meet the teachers as a body but would be prepared to meet a committee. Provincial School Secretary Barnett will be sent a report of the dispute, the secretary of the local A.T.A. to be notified of this fact.

Ashes are piling high at both Central and Cameron Schools and an effort will be made to get someone to remove them until such time as the town secures a permanent ashman.

Trustees Holley and Snod's terms expire at the end of this month. Council will be notified that it will be necessary to fill two vacancies on the board at the February civic elections.

Accounts passed for payment—Coleman Journal, 6.06; McGillivray Creek Coal, 73.08; McBurney's, 54.41; Coleman L. & W., 101.06; Central Scientific Co., 40.00; F. E. Osborne, 83.15; W. Bobbitt, 3.90; George Roper, 5.55; Express, 2.46.

EXCITED STATEMENTS, over the radio and in the press, warning everyone to look out for tremendous news, were an unfortunate manifestation of the mentality of our Government publicity people. The news, during this great crisis in world history, is always of tremendous importance, and the latest developments are indeed striking. It is not necessary to adopt the technique of Mr. Orson Welles, and to try to turn the great events which surround us into dramatic fairy tales.

Detroit News: Out of college and into a pilot's seat, many a young grad will see for himself what lies beyond the Alps.

MAKE YOUR OWN CIGARETTES WITH

MACDONALD'S

Fine Cut

THE FINEST TOBACCO YOU EVER SMOKED

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Britain's Merchant Navy

DURING THE EARLY PART of the war, much attention was focused on the work of the British Merchant Navy. With the increasing tempo of the Allied attacks on land and by air, less has been heard of this branch of the service, although we have never ceased to be aware of the continuous part it plays in the prosecution of the war. It has been pointed out that in the last war, Britain's main supply line to her fighting forces was from Southampton to Havre, a distance of a little over one hundred miles. In this war, the supply line to the Middle East, around the Cape, is almost 12,000 miles. During 1941, three hundred ships were continuously in operation over this route, and by April of 1942, over three million tons of military supplies, including one million tons of foodstuffs, had been delivered to Egyptian ports. During the campaign in North Africa, more than 10,000,000 tons of Allied merchant shipping were used to carry supplies for the forces there, and we are told that on one night in March, 1943, more than one million tons of shipping were en route from Gibraltar to supply bases of the armies in Tunisia.

A Perilous And Difficult Task

One of the greatest and most perilous tasks undertaken by the British Merchant Navy in this war, has been that of maintaining the flow of supplies from this continent to Britain. During the anxious times in 1940 and 1941, when Britain stood alone against Germany, the whole course of the war depended on the ability of the British people to produce war materials. The Merchant Navy kept them supplied with vital raw materials and food at that time, and is continuing to do so. We are told that up to the middle of June, 1943, twelve thousand ships, carrying over 77 million tons of cargo, had been conveyed to Britain from Canada alone. Canadian merchant ships, and those of Allied countries, were included in these figures. In addition, over 200,000 Canadian soldiers have been taken to Britain by the Merchant Navy. It has also been pointed out that during the first three months of 1943, more than two and a quarter million tons of British shipping was working for the United States under the mutual aid agreement between the two countries. Under the same agreement British transports have been given to the United States to carry American troops overseas.

Many Tributes Well Deserved

The Merchant Navy has carried large quantities of supplies to Russia over the dangerous northern route to Munksk. The enemy has continuously hampered the progress of merchant ships on this route, yet by the end of 1942 nineteen large convoys had reached Russia and many have gone through since that time. A long and hazardous supply route has also been maintained to India, and large quantities of reinforcements and equipment have been sent there. One convoy which recently reached India was said to be so large that it could not be received at a single port, but had to be divided among several Indian sea ports. In the first three years of the war convoys of British merchant ships, manned by crews from Britain, the British Dominions, India, the Colonies, and from Allied and neutral countries, have travelled over 125,000,000 ship miles, which is equivalent to six thousand times around the world. This branch of the services without doubt deserves the many tributes it has received, for it is clear that upon it has depended much of our success thus far, and that it will be equally vital until the last battle is won.

Doubling Up

How A Man Made Two Matches Out Of One

I feel you ought to meet an ingenious young man, who generously shared with fellow-passengers in the train his method of countering the match famine. It is so simple. He merely splits the match down with a razor blade so that a blob of brimstone is left adhering to each half. By this means a box of matches goes twice as far. The halved matches are thin, but not too thin to strike without breaking if a little care is used.—Leeds Yorkshire Post.

First zoo in America was founded at Halifax in 1817 by Andrew DOWNS.

ACTS 2 WAYS

TO RELIEVE MISERIES OF BRONCHITIS

Now get real relief from coughs, soreness and congestion of bronchitis—this double-action Vicks VapoRub that actually

WORKS 2 WAYS AT ONCE. It penetrates deep into bronchial tubes with soothing medicinal vapors. Stimulates chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice. Keeps working for hours.

To get all the benefits of this combined PENETRATING-STIMULATING action, just rub throat, chest, and back with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. Instantly VapoRub goes to work—2 ways at once as shown above—to ease bronchitis, relieve muscular soreness, and speed restful, comforting sleep. Often by morning most of the misery is gone. Get relief from bronchitis distress tonight with double-action, time-tested Vicks VapoRub... Try It!

VICKS VAPORUB

Use Of Plastics

Many Plastics Have Begun To Down On The Farm

The importance of plastics has been emphasized during this war, not only by architects and interior decorators, but by scientists. Many of these plastics are produced from farm oils. There are hundreds of uses for plastics in the manufacture of instruments and equipment for the machines of war. These same plastics will also be used for the needs of peace after the war years are past.

The cultivation of soybeans in Canada has been intensified in recent years. Soybeans have a definite place in the waterprooing of fabrics, and soy meal may be used to make plastics. Soybeans, apart from their value as a high protein feed for livestock, also provide edible oil and can be converted into a lubricating oil.

Progress has also been reported in investigations in connection with sunflowers, another plant from which an edible oil may be extracted.

A New Habit

Britons Assured That Chewing Gum Will Not Alter The Profile

The Daily Mirror was so concerned over the spread of the American-imported gum-chewing habit among Britons that it asked the Royal Anthropological Institute whether this would alter the British profile. The institute replied sagely that Britons could chew "from now until doomsday without making any difference to the jaw."

SOLID MOLASSES

A process for dehydrating molasses and packing it in dry form has been developed by the U.S. Board of Economic Warfare. Finished solid blocks of molasses can be stored for indefinite periods in ordinary warehouses and sheds, and can be shipped, handled, and stored as general dry cargo.

Our Boys And Girls On Active Service

(By J. G.)

A portable medical laboratory for ships at sea has been developed by the R.C.N. research unit. It takes a week-end bag, weighing about 40 lbs., it will be instrumental in saving lots of lives in the future. About 100 kits are already being made. From it they can make tests, diagnosis at sea, do bacteriological work, tuberculosis and diptheria may be detected; there is enough blood grouping serum for 100 tests. Another important feature, it makes possible the testing and purification of drinking water, often in foreign ports a matter of grave concern.

How an electrically-heated flying suit probably saved a life comes with the story of how Sgt. G. W. Meadows of Bowman Lake, Manitoba, got the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal overseas. Rear gunner in a heavy bomber, over the target an enemy night fighter snatched the bomber and rear turret, put a bullet into Meadows' head. It hit the wiring in his electric flying suit, was deflected, came out in the groin. He continued to man his turrets, however, and ward off eight attacks with his wireless operator and navigator around him. The citation reads: "For his praiseworthy of his gallant action."

The lads in the fighting ships look with loving eyes on the big, ungainly motor ships which are part of navy units and very necessary. They are the floating naval base, a haven of comparative safety where men back from duty rest and relax with hot baths and good entertainment. She looks a bit queer, the mother ship—a cross between a tanker and freighter, but different from either, with her repair shops and oversized sleeping quarters and galley. Actually she is the largest ship built in Canada to fly the white ensign; the ugly duckling of the navy, broad across beam, slow and stolid, with oil-pipes seaming her deck and loading booms jutting above her. The ship's company is all specialists.

Recently a detachment of the girls of the Polish Women's Army assembled in Montreal from all over Canada on their way overseas. They are joining the P.W.A.C. in London, England, for various highly specialized jobs. Two of them are refugees from Poland, and in the four years on this side have learned to speak our language fluently. Two westerners with them being Pte. Alice Dzioki of Manville, Alta., and Lieut. Ruby Soper of Arcola, Sask. There was also Mrs. Zawadzka of Winnipeg, also Vera Novak from the same city, even Genevieve Kory of Austin, Texas; some were from Detroit and Michigan. They wear a wide leather belt to distinguish them from the other uniforms—the silver buttons bear the Polish Eagle insignia.

Professional and amateur theatrical and musical comedy stars of Canada's pre-war days are intermingled in the "Army Show" units which recently arrived overseas on tour. Westerners among them include L-Cpl. R. Wickbergh of Winnipeg, a singer, and from the same city a dancer named Pte. A. Phillips. The personnel are all trained for war. One unit has Sgt. R. M. Burns of Medicine Hat among the dancers; Pte. E. C. Brander, of Lethbridge, Alta., and L-Cpl. F. G. Cassidy of Drumheller. Pte. M. Moynihan of Regina, Sask., formerly of the CWAC's, is also with them.

In the battle honours recently following the invasion of Sicily and Italy are a number of gallant men from the west. Master W. G. Eury, of Redmond, was awarded the Distinguished Service Order, while a Military Cross went to Lieut. J. A. Douglas of Edmonton. Alberta was also in the limelight with Distinguished Conduct Medal winners, including Sgt. A. G. Cheahine, Ashburn, B.C., and Sgt. G. Eury, of Redmond, of Geneva, and Pte. Louis L. Melton, of Edmonton.

The familiar patches worn by Canadian soldiers of the recently disbanded 7th and 8th divisions and the re-organized 6th, will no longer be used. In future the grey and green diamond patch of the Atlantic and Pacific commands respectively will be worn by all Command operational troops as well as personnel permanently employed in training centres and district establishments of these commands.

Britain Finds Room

Has Placed 40,000 Refugees In Various Parts Of United Kingdom

Britain seems to be doing its part in finding homes for refugees. Sixty thousand non-British refugees have been admitted to various parts of the United Kingdom since May, 1940, and they still are arriving at the rate of 800 a month, the Foreign Office has disclosed. The announcement said 40,000 Polish refugees had been removed from Italy to East and South Africa, India, Palestine and Mexico through efforts of the governments concerned.—Sault Star.

CHILDREN'S LUNCHBOXES

War worker or children's lunchboxes should be kept clean and fresh. One of the best methods of cleaning is to wash out the lunch box frequently with warm water to which soda has been added. The lunchbox should be dried thoroughly.

THERE IS STRENGTH IN UNITY OF PURPOSE

Prairie Lumber Dealers Prove The Soundness Of This Theory In A Practical Test

(One of a series of articles about your community lumber merchant, by F. C. Pickwell, well-known western newspaper writer)

The role played by local lumber dealers during the war has been outstanding, and of inestimable value to the communities they serve. The foundation for this achievement is the practical illustration on the value of unity of purpose in behalf of the general public. This story is worthy of more than passing reference. It has to do with the efforts made by local lumber dealers to secure a more equitable supply and distribution of necessary material for their clients under controlled wartime conditions, without any serious regard for anticipated profits.

When war was declared against enemy nations the community lumber and supply yards only had stocks on hand to take care of customary demands. The situation did not cause any unusual alarm till the early part of 1941, when a combination of abnormal causes created a threatening crisis. The solution called for the studied judgment of the most experienced lumbermen of the industry.

Due to urgent demands of government and military authorities their plans were finally placed on the number one priority list, and under state control. That move appeared logical. The numerous training camps for the army, air force and navy accommodation just had to be met, without any argument. Then large munition plants had to be erected, or old buildings overhauled and enlarged, in addition to increased homes for the workers in many districts from coast to coast, particularly in the most important manufacturing centres.

To the superficial observer these hectic developments created an ideal foundation for the inauguration of an unstrained boom in the lumber industry. But it did not work out that way, for two substantial reasons. Failures in the various fighting forces soon reduced the number of experienced workmen in the lumber camps and mills in British Columbia and the prairies. Then in the spring of 1941 H. R. MacMillan, of Vancouver, was appointed Canada's first timber controller.

Any possibility of soaring prices finally faded out of the picture on April 1, 1941, when all lumber prices were frozen as at that date. True, some slight increases have since been authorized by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, as a means of offsetting increased production at the industry's source. But, so far as the consumer is concerned, the prices now being paid for lumber are approximately the same as set on the above date.

It would appear to be somewhat strange that there is no evidence that the price of such an irreplaceable material as lumber was frozen some six months in advance of less essential commodities, which were pegged originally at levels in force during the basic period. The point to be borne in mind is that many of the lumbermen have increased substantially, but the price of lumber has remained much more stationary.

The consuming public may thus gather from official records that the community lumber dealers were permitted to pay the mills for lumber, and the prices which they in turn could charge their customers, were all definitely established by federal government regulations. These decrees militated in times of emergency against the possibility of retailers securing supplies in desired quantities, as prices in export markets were not similarly controlled.

Butter Shipments

Shipments From Prairie Provinces Are Under Control

Those parts of Canada where butter supplies are low will benefit by an order issued December 23rd last, by the Dairy Products Board, under presidential authority. Shipments of butter from the prairie provinces must be made only to destinations authorized by the Board and states that "no person shall, without authorization from the Dairy Products Board, ship or transport creamery butter in quantities greater than 1,000 pounds from the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba into any other of the said provinces or into any other province of Canada." The order reminds an earlier prohibition of butter shipments into Alberta and British Columbia.

"The object of the order is to prevent accumulation of butter where supplies are plentiful and to route it to deficiency areas."

For Faster Relief Of CHEST COLDS

Muscular Aches & Pains Tired Burning Feet MASSAGE WELL WITH BUCKLEY'S STAINLESS WHITE RUB PRICE 30c and 50c at ALL Drugists

German Barbarians

The Wanton Destruction Of Centuries-Old Russian Churches

The German barbarians have destroyed the centuries-old Russian churches near Novgorod—memorials of the beginning of the Russian state and jewels of ancient art.

The stern faces of princes and saints of old Russia, painted on icons, stare through the broken walls of the Spass Nerevitsky Church. Blocks of stone and heaps of rubble are all that remain of the strong walls built by unknown architects, which stood for seven and one-half centuries, until German artillery reduced them to ruin.

Artists and scientists came from all countries of the world to view the wonderful frescoes, creations of the masters of those times, and to study the art and architecture of Kiev-Novgorod.

HAS BEEN INDISPENSABLE

Allan Nevins, professor of history at Columbia University, has written: "The British Empire has been indispensable to civilization. By it Britain has given peace, order and ever-broadening freedom to vast populations that might otherwise have sunk into chaotic strife; she has carried a great part of the burden of world progress; she has widened the bounds of fair play, free trade and representative institutions."

The British Eighth Army drove the German Afrika Korps 1,800 miles across North Africa. 2550

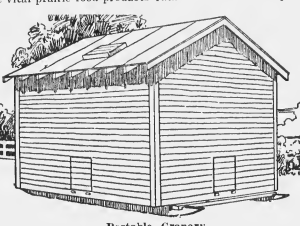
were at stake, and must be protected at all costs—a fact obviously overlooked at the time by those in authority.

The urgent need for relief in a serious situation among agriculturists, backed by higher priority at least during the emergency, was stressed in letters to the ministers of agriculture in Ottawa, Winnipeg, Regina and Edmonton in 1942. It was pointed out that dealers in local communities usually anticipated their requirements and stocked their yards at least during the emergency, so that no number of any kind could be purchased at the time, and that the situation was not likely to improve. It was emphasized that unless the government authorities made it possible for the local dealers to stock their yards to the extent necessary, the farmers would be faced with a serious problem later on.

At that time it was becoming obvious that prairie grain growers would be unable to secure the lumber needed to build their own granaries, at the very time when urgently advised to do so. They also required buildings to shelter increased stocks raised in answer to the government's request for more bacon, butter, cheese and eggs for Britain.

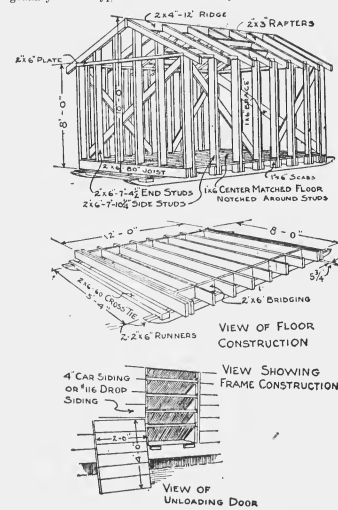
This carefully organized co-operative effort secured the desired results. Ottawa finally acknowledged the importance of food production on the priority ratings, as an essential part of the war program.

There is strength in unity of purpose. That fact was clearly demonstrated by your community lumber dealers. A passing project was not the fountain of inspiration, but rather serve to the public.



Portable Granary

The grade of your wheat is of such great importance that it will not be necessary to urge the value and necessity of a portable granary. The type shown is both easy and economical to build.



EVERYBODY HAPPY

The town of Bondville, Miss., had been trying unsuccessfully for years to get enough money appropriated to repair a bridge across the Swift River. Then came along a corps of Army engineers looking for a bridge repair job as part of their training. The town and the Army got together, the bridge was repaired, the Army got its training and the town its bridge.

The grapefruit was brought to Florida by the Spaniards in the 16th century.

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We can often blame nervous tension for miserable feelings and fears. And in these days, thousands of nervous people long to get a real grip on themselves... they yearn for quiet nerves. Many are taking Dr. Miles Nerveine. This scientific combination of effective sedatives. Nerveine helps relieve general nervousness, sleeplessness, over-excitement, and nervous headache and nervous irritability. It has been used for this purpose for sixty years. Take Nerveine according to directions and help things along with more rest, wholesome food, fresh air and exercise. Effervescent Nerveine Tablets: 35c and 65c. Nerveine Liquid: 25c and \$1.00.

DR. MILES NERVINE

PROMINENT WESTERN CANADA JOURNALIST, JOHN W. DAFOE, DIED SUDDENLY IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG.—John W. Dafeo, an outstanding Canadian author, editor, educationist and leading authority on Dominion and international affairs, died suddenly here Sunday. He died of a heart attack while en route to hospital.

The 77-year-old dean of western Canada newspapermen, president and editor-in-chief of the Winnipeg Free Press, worked until the last. He was at his desk Saturday.

During his 60 years as a journalist, Mr. Dafeo received four honorary degrees from universities, was a member of the Rowell-Sinclair commission on Dominion-provincial affairs in 1937, and was attached to the Canadian delegation in the Paris peace conference of 1919.

Born at Conchermere, Ont., Mr. Dafeo began his newspaper career at the age of 17, and within a year became the Montreal Star's parliamentary correspondent at Ottawa in 1884.

During 1885 and '86 he was editor of the Ottawa Journal, and for the next six years a writer for the Winnipeg Free Press. He was with the Montreal Herald and Montreal Star from 1892 until 1901 when he came to Winnipeg as editor-in-chief of the Free Press.

Mr. Dafeo took an active part in imperial press conferences of 1909, 1920, 1925 and 1940 and was president of the Institute of Pacific Relations for three years, 1936, '37 and '38. He had been chancellor of the University of Manitoba for 11 years. A master of a lucid and vigorous style, with a gift for phrase-making and a pungent wit, Mr. Dafeo stored up an unrivaled knowledge of the problems of Canada's political and economic life.

During his newspaper career he received honorary doctor of law degrees from the University of Manitoba in 1926, Queen's University, Kingston, in 1929, and University of Alberta in 1934, and the Columbia University, New York, in 1942.

Only three months ago, Mr. Dafeo was honored by nearly 500 members of the newspaper profession, friends and admirers on the 60th anniversary of his entry into the field of journalism.

Prominent citizens from every part of the Dominion, including the premiers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, members of the House of Commons, senate, provincial legislatures, the judiciary and various professions attended while congratulatory messages were received from many sections of the world, including Great Britain.

Mr. Dafeo recalled his life as a newspaperman, from a cub editor at \$6 a week.

As an author, he wrote "Over the Canadian Battlefields," "Laurels, a Study in Canadian Politics," "Contributions to Great Britain and the Dominions," "Clifford Sifton in Relation to His Times," and "Canada: An American Nation."

Throughout his career, Mr. Dafeo was always prepared to challenge every artificial privilege and condition which hindered the self-expression of the individual.

As to newspaper policy, he had stated that nothing was better for a newspaper in the long run than it should, when the occasion arose, face unpopularity in the advocacy of causes it believed to be right.

PLANS BEING MADE

To Send Needed Supplies To Europe After Invasion Starts

LONDON.—While the Allied forces prepare for a second front, the British government is planning a second invasion wave — men and women bearing food and clothing for the ragged and starved people of Europe.

The board of trade and ministry of supply here have canvassed all British clothing stores for their surplus stocks. These garments are now being received and sorted at large depots. They will be ready to be rushed across the Channel in the wake of the army.

Most of the clothing being collected from shops are utility lines not in demand such as raincoats, rayon clothing. Since a woolen garment or tweed jacket takes in many cases the same number of coupons as cottons or rayon garment, British purchasers will not surrender coupons for the flimsier clothes.

It is expected that knitted wear and footwear will be supplied by Canada and the United States, where the shortage is not as great as it is in Britain.

WORKERS WARNED

Sir Stafford Cripps Says This Will Be Difficult Year

LONDON.—Workers at a Greater London factory were warned against over-optimism by Sir Stafford Cripps, minister of aircraft production, who told them this year would be "by far the most difficult year both on the fighting front and the factory front at home."

It is perfectly true that the position of the United Nations is very much better than it ever was in the whole course of the war but we must always remember that a wild beast is never so dangerous as when he has been wounded," he said. "Undoubtedly the Nazis have been very seriously wounded and the danger of desperation comes from that state of affairs."

PAYING REFUNDS

Income Tax Office Is Working As Quickly As Possible

OTTAWA.—Revenue Minister Gibson said that income tax refunds are being sent out as quickly as possible and added it is hoped soon to increase the rate of 8,000 a day.

Between June and August last year the income tax division received the largest number of returns in its history and with them came thousands of claims for refunds arising from the forgiveness of one-half of the 1942 tax liability.

TRAINING GROUND

French North Africa Vast Centre For Allied Invasion Troops

ALGIERS.—British, United States and French troops are undergoing training throughout French North Africa for coming assaults across the Mediterranean against the Germans, it was disclosed.

North Africa was officially described as "one vast training centre for troops destined for future operations," with camps scattered throughout Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco.

Canadian Army Command Changes



These senior officers of the Canadian Army are leading figures in changes in the command of Canada's overseas army announced by Ottawa along with news of the retirement from active command of Gen. McNaughton. At left is Lieut.-Gen. H. D. G. Crear, former chief of the general staff who commands a Canadian Corps fighting in the Mediterranean theatre. At right is Lieut.-Gen. Kenneth Stuart, present chief of the general staff who is now appointed chief of staff, Canadian military headquarters, London and acting commander of the First Canadian Army. They are pictured together watching Canadian troop manoeuvres in Britain.

INVALIDED HOME

Large Number Of Canadians Arrived On The Lady Nelson

HALIFAX. More than 100 wounded veterans of the fighting in Sicily and Italy, the "Red Patch Devils" of the Canadian First Division in the British Eighth Army, arrived here aboard the hospital ship Lady Nelson, and impatiently awaited their transfer to the trains that would take them back to their homes, or at least back to their home provinces. Also returning aboard the white-painted former cruise liner were large numbers of Canadian troops invalided home from Britain because of illness or accidents, some R.C.A.F. personnel and a few members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

POWDERED EGGS

Several Thousand Carloads Of Eggs For Britain

OTTAWA.—The department of agriculture has announced that special products board expects to buy several thousand carloads of eggs from Canadian producers to export to Great Britain in the form of powdered eggs.

The board has said the present price of 35 and a half cents a dozen will continue through 1944. Eight plants in central and Western Canada are equipped to process the eggs, the powder is to be packaged in 14 pound cartons for the British catering grade, and in five ounce packages for household use.

DESTINATION UNKNOWN

LONDON.—Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery, newly-appointed commander of British ground forces in the forthcoming invasion of Europe, has left London for an unannounced destination.

It was assumed that he has said, "This was the largest monthly output so far this year," the bureau take up his new appointment in the country.

How Canadians Spent Christmas In Italy



Shown here are hosts and guests at a Christmas party held in Italy by Canadian troops for children of an Italian kindergarten.

Sinking Of Scharnhorst In Convoy Battle Off Norway.



The 26,500-ton German battleship Scharnhorst, above, has been sunk after an engagement with units of the British home fleet off Norway, under the command of Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser. The British ships were protecting a convoy to Russia.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FOR LAST YEAR HIGHER IN VALUE ALTHOUGH FARMS YIELDED LESS

OTTAWA.—The value of Canadian agricultural production in 1943 probably will exceed that for the bumper crop year of 1942 although fields yielded less and there were fewer people to work them, authorities here said.

In 1942 the net value of agricultural production was \$1,570,000,000 compared with \$226,400,000 in 1932. The prospects are that 1943 production will be worth about \$1,600,000,000.

Since 1939 an estimated 400,000 men and 100,000 women have left the farm but agriculture department officials said they estimate the output of the average farm worker is 86 per cent greater than it was four years ago.

"Those who have remained on the farm have worked harder, have risen earlier in the morning and have gone to bed later," said one official.

"They have not had all the machinery they wanted to help them meet labor shortages. Instead they have been obliged to seek a helping hand from the youngsters and from

their parents at a time when these older folk should normally be taking a well-earned rest."

Agriculture department statistics indicated the average man on the farm in 1943 produced three dozen eggs for every two dozen before the war, nearly twice as many hogs, three bushels of coarse grains for every two, six pounds of butter for every five and more than five pounds of cheese for every four.

The most important gain in production value in 1943 will come from livestock and livestock products, authorities said. A preliminary estimate of field crops issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics, on the basis of gross value, showed a decline of about \$100,000,000 from 1942 when the output of wheat, coarse grains and other field crops was among the best in Canadian history.

But enlarged production of hogs, milk, beef cattle and poultry products in 1943 with improved values in many classes, was expected to more than compensate for the reduced field-crop value.

NEW PROPULSION PLANE WILL BE CAPABLE OF HIGH SPEEDS WITHOUT USE OF PROPELLERS

WASHINGTON.—Cloaked in secrecy for years, a new "rocket" plane has emerged from British-American engineering laboratories, capable of extreme speeds at high altitudes without using standard propellers.

The disclosure was made in a joint statement by the R.A.F. and the United States army air forces.

The plane is powered with jet propulsion engines. No details were given. Jet propulsion is generally considered in aviation circles to be a series of short, sharp explosions on the rocket principle, hurling the plane forward. Aviation authorities have said that today's airplanes have just about reached their limits in speed at close to 500 miles an hour by use of propellers and that the jet propulsion or rocket principle is the

next logical step to greater achievement.

The German air force has been reported experimenting with rocket devices on planes to give them additional power on takeoffs or higher speed in emergencies.

Several hundred flights by the new British-American planes were made without a single mishap and quantity production is just around the corner, the Allied chiefs declared. Research work on the idea started 10 years ago in Great Britain under Group Captain Frank Whittle of the R.A.F. and his preliminary engine ran successfully in 1937.

The joint statement issued in Washington by Gen. H. H. Arnold, chief of the army air forces, disclosed that the British air ministry placed its first order for a plane using jet propulsion engines with the Gloster Aircraft Company, Ltd., in 1939, the engines to be built by Power Jets, Ltd., in a special factory in England. Group Capt. Whittle was loaned to this company.

The first successful flight of this aircraft was in May, 1941, the statement said. "The pilot was the late Lt. P. G. Sayers, chief test pilot of Gloster Aircraft company, and greatest credit should be given to Group Capt. Whittle for the fine performance and for the genius and energy that made it possible."

"Full information about this jet propulsion engine was disclosed in July, 1941, to the United States army air forces who, like the British R.A.F. and ministry of aircraft production, had the foresight to appreciate the tremendous possibilities of this new form of aircraft power unit. The U.S.A.A.P. at once asked for an engine to be sent to U.S.A., and the engine which had made the first flight was sent to the General Electric Company in September 1941.

SHOWS DECREASE

Official Cost-of-Living Index Was Lower At December 1

OTTAWA.—The official cost-of-living index declined from 119.4 at Nov. 1 to 119.3 at Dec. 1, making the total wartime increase 18.4 per cent, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

"Decreases in indexes for foods and fuel and lighting overbalanced a rise in home furnishings and miscellaneous items," said the bureau.

"The food index dropped from 133.1 to 132.7 with decline for beef, pork, oranges, turnips and cabbage of greater importance than increases for butter, eggs and potatoes."

DEATH RATE LOW

CAIRO.—Of nearly 30,000 battle casualties treated at Allied hospitals in the Middle East in the year ending April, 1943, there was a mortality rate of only 2.1 per cent, an analysis disclosed. Total deaths during the period were 611. This compares to a 7.44 per cent mortality rate in hospitals in Egypt and Palestine in the last war.

THE CONSTRUCTION OF HUGE LANDING BARGES MAY SOON BE COMMENCED IN CANADA

OTTAWA.—Canada may soon be building huge landing barges—vessels of the general dimensions of a car ferry—for the British government, it was revealed here following announcement of the government decision to halt the laying of keels for more frigates and corvettes.

Discussions on the project already have been initiated with the British authorities, officials disclosed. They said they hoped to negotiate a contract which would keep yards on both the Canadian Pacific and Atlantic coasts in full operation for a year and possibly 18 months.

The new vessels cannot be built in great lakes shipyards as they are too large to reach the sea through the inland canal systems. Government sources said, however, they expected a program of small vessel

construction would be carried out this year on a scale sufficient to keep inland yards busy.

Canada already has been building invasion barges in fair numbers in several shipyards. The vessels which it is now hoped to construct in the Dominion, however, bear little resemblance to the barges hitherto turned out. They are designed to carry not only large numbers of troops per vessel, but also an effective force of tanks and heavy transport equipment.

It was admitted here there might be some layoff of shipyard labor in the interval required by the yards to switch to the new type of vessel, but that there would be no layoff of technical staffs, and that any holiday for general shipyard labor in any of the yards would be a brief one.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

The Garbage Problem

One of the most vexing problems at the present time is that of ash and garbage collections. Very few ash cans have been emptied during the past month, with the result that ashes are piling up in all back alleys. Complaints are falling thick upon the heads of our city fathers.

Lack of suitable help is one factor in the present predicament. However, the major factor is the manner in which the ashman collects his monthly fee. In the past he has had to go from door to door to collect his money or stand at the street corner and button-hole passers-by who may happen to owe him money for ashes. In following this method he has to stand for much abuse, much of which is uncalled for. In addition some people keep their ash cans as close to the back door as possible, making him carry the heavily laden can for many yards to the truck.

The council were at fault when they set the ash fee at 25 cents, which was too low and stipulated that the ashman had to collect his own fee. Since that time the fee has been raised twice, both times by a nickel, and each time it has been accompanied by a chorus of opposing voices from some of the public.

To put this ash problem on a businesslike basis, the council should take an aggressive step, regardless of the howls of opposition. Let them set the monthly ash fee at a fair rate and collect it through taxation. Thus they would be in a position to issue a monthly cheque to the ashman. Let each landlord assess his tenants a garbage fee per month.

Neither you nor I would like to stand at a street corner to collect small portions of our pay from passers-by, so why should we ask the ashman to do it?

Immigration

The subject of bringing into Canada numbers of Europeans, as well as British stock, after the war, is again under discussion by many Canadians. Like all subjects, some people are for it, others against. Personally, we are all for it, provided it is done in a businesslike way. Many the time we have listened to debates on immigration and heard the C.P.R. given a tongue-lashing for bringing in Europeans, taking their transportation money and then dumping them on the bald-headed prairie where they were more or less left to their own resources. If all the facts were known, perhaps the C.P.R. were not at fault, but since these immigrants rode on the C.P.R. system it seemed only natural to blame the company.

Canada is a mighty large country. It is well able to take care of more than eleven million people. It has millions of acres of fertile land; its mineral resources have only been scratched. Ottawa could bring in a large number of Europeans who would become good Canadian citizens. Canada's industrial plants have increased tremendously during the war and more citizens are needed in the country to absorb industries' peace time production. We firmly believe that British capital, in greater quantity than in the past, can be interested in developing Canada's resources sufficient to accommodate increased population. For several years after this war, Canadians may find themselves still heavily taxed. More citizens to help shoulder the load will ease the burden for all.

Coal A Storehouse of Vital Chemicals

C-I-L, Oval

Known to most of us as fuel, coal is scarcely appreciated, except by a few, as an almost inexhaustible storehouse of chemicals from which are synthesized many materials essential both in peace and war, according to an article entitled "Coal Black Magic" in C-I-L for December. Coal, one of Nature's most common raw materials, is it potentially richer in rubbers than all of the islands of the East; more bountiful in fibres than all the Japanese silk-worms; wealthier in colours than the rainbow; and abounding in curative medicinal. In ordinary bituminous coal there are constituents of explosives for bombs, shells and torpedoes, plastics of many types including those of crystal clarity, solvents, food preservatives, insecticides, fertilizers, lacquers and hundreds of other products.

"Made from coal" really means that one of several intermediates used in making a product is in turn made from one or more of the several derivatives of coal.

Coal is chemically utilized to make neoprene, a material containing most of rubber's desirable qualities and, in addition, having superior properties of its own. Nylon is another versatile member of coal's family. The pharmaceutical industry is to a large degree predicated upon coal for chemicals; the new sulpha drugs are an outstanding example but perhaps the commonest of coal-derived medicinal is "aspirin", acetylsalicylic acid. Coal-derived plastics are replacing tons of precious crude rubber; for example, for coating Army raincoats, hospital sheeting, electric wiring insulation, for band grenades, gunstocks and radio antennae on aircraft.

The list of products partially or wholly derivable from coal, and essential in our daily life, includes anti-freeze, lacquers and synthetic camels, water-repellent textile finishes, flame-proofing agents for the treatment of work clothing, fluids for hydraulic brakes and many other diversified materials.

Carlyle's Call

When Thomas Carlyle paid his respects to Queen Victoria, he didn't let royalty hold him at a distance as had happened to another famous writer. Charles Dickens had had to stand the entire time he talked with the Queen. The old Scotsman calmly took the initiative.

He greeted the Queen with due respect on her entry and then spoke, up, "And now, your Majesty, I would remind you that I am a verger old man, and so I will tak' a cheer!" So saying, he sat down without any permission on her part.

That was only the beginning.

Carlyle then launched into a frank criticism of her ministry, offering advice on matters even the Prime Minister didn't touch on.

Queen Victoria did not enjoy her caller. After Carlyle had

gone, she let it be known that she was receiving no more literary men!

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Our grandpaw has been having such interesting dreams lately he's taken to wearing his spectacles to bed.

- Spotlighting -



Sgt. George Frederick Sims

Was born and educated in England. Was employed at the International mine before his enlistment with the R.O.A.F. on July 2nd, 1941. Sgt. Sims is an "Air Armament Instructor" and at present stationed at No. 7 I.T.S. School in Saskatoon, Sask. Until Feb. of last year was at the No. 3 Wireless School in Winnipeg. Sgt. Sims is married to the former (Miss Mollie Hillary.)

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King Edward Hotel Changes Management at Pincher Creek

Walkers Leaving in About
Two Weeks

It was with regret that the news of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Walker, severed their connection with the King Edward Hotel at the end of December, 1943, was received.

Owing to the work being too much for their health, Mr. and Mrs. Walker decided to throw up the lease of the King Edward and Arlington Hotels and are contemplating taking up their permanent residence again, probably at the coast.

The new lessee, Arthur Davis, of Kelowna, B.C., arrived here this week and is taking over the management, and it is expected that Mrs. Davis and baby daughter will follow him shortly.

The Walkers will spend about two weeks packing up and saying goodbye to friends before leaving, and the Echo on behalf of the community takes pleasure in welcoming Mr. and Mrs. Davis to the district.

—Pincher Creek Echo

Coupon Calendar

January 13: Valid—

Meat Coupons, pair 34.

January 20: Valid—

Butter Coupons, 46 and 47.

Meat Coupons, pair 35.

Deferred

A southern Negro struggled desperately with his draft questionnaire. After much sweating and worrying he gave up in despair, returned the paper with the notation: "I'm ready when you is."—Army and Navy Journal.

Banking: An Army rifle weighs 8.89 pounds. After it has been carried a few miles, the decimal point drops out.

MEMORABLE DAYS IN JANUARY

Jan. 1. Manchester Ship Canal opened, 1894.

Jan. 2. Calcutta captured by Clive, 1757.

Jan. 3. First flight to India completed by Cobham, 1924.

Jan. 4. Charles I. attempted to arrest 5 M.P.s, 1641.

Jan. 6. Birthday of Joan of Arc, 1412.

Jan. 7. Calais lost, 1558.

Jan. 8. Northumberland invaded by Danes, 794.

Jan. 9. Birth of Admiral Jervis, 1734.

Jan. 10. League of Nations came into being, 1920.

Jan. 12. Diamonds discovered in British Guiana, 1891.

Jan. 13. Rouen captured by Henry V., 1419.

Jan. 14. Severe earthquake in Jamaica, 1907.

Jan. 15. Opening of British Museum, 1759.

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The Churches

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Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent.

11 a.m. Matins and sermon.

2 p.m., Sunday school.

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Sunday school at 12:15

Evening Worship at 7 p.m.

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Trusting Souls

An old farmer wrote to Sears Roebuck & Company as follows: "Please send me one of them gasoline engines you show on page 785 and if it's any good I'll send you a check for it."

He received the following reply from the firm:

"Please send us the check, and, if it's any good we'll send you the engine."—Kreolite News

What a City Executive Learns While Riding with Rural Mailman

A fine service was recently rendered to national advertisers, governments, country-town merchants, the public generally and to advertising agencies in particular, when an executive of a large manufacturing firm in Toronto took a holiday in the country and reported his findings on how country people get their news. And where they read their news is precisely where they look at the advertisements, both national and local.

Our information in the matter comes from "Marketing", a weekly newspaper for Canadian advertisers and sales executives, ably edited by John Love, ably assisted by Miss Margaret Brown as business manager and published in Toronto by W. A. Lydiate. Weekly editors will be particularly interested in the report. The Statesman several times has tried to get the real facts, but with a war-depleted staff, it has been impossible to get around to it.

The "ad" man pitched in stooking grain and after getting "a bunch ofaching muscles" he toured the rural routes with the mail man and got an eye-opener on what rural people in Ontario actually read. Here are some extracts of his report.

"Judging by this section of the rural community I would say that any advertiser who wished to reach the greatest number of farm readers must use the local paper." And he goes on to tell how they come down to the mail boxes to meet the mail man on the day the weekly paper is delivered. Then he quotes figures on circulations actually obtained on his two weeks' visit. Here they are: 67 per cent of boxes received the local weekly; 51 per cent received a leading farm paper; 20 per cent received a second farm paper; 13 per cent received a small city paper; 5 per cent received big city dailies; 3 per cent received one national magazine.

He found too, that many farm

homes are not served by radio and many who have them use battery sets through which they get farm market reports and then shut them off to save the batteries. Other pertinent and interesting observations on farm life were contained in his illuminating survey but the above is sufficient for the purpose of our editorial on the question which appears in this issue.

—The Canadian Statesman, Bowmanville, Ontario.

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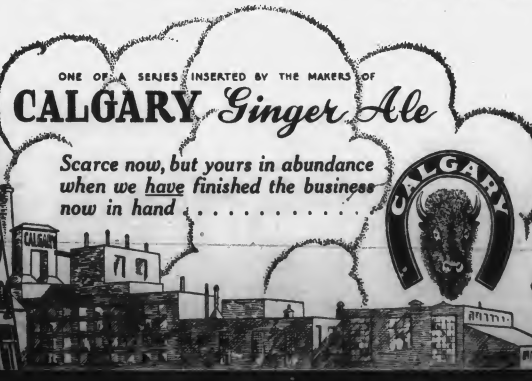


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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

German authorities have closed all Christian churches in the Netherlands and confiscated their property.

An aircraft worker who talked in a bus queue about his work, which is secret, was fined \$165 at Maldenhead, England.

Police were called to control a crowd which rushed a Perth, Australia store after it had advertised clothes pins for sale.

A portable medical laboratory for ships at sea and isolated bases has been developed by the Royal Canadian Navy's medical research unit.

From their weekly subsistence allowance, members of civil defence units in Bletchley, Eng., have given the equivalent of \$200 to war funds.

J. B. Priestley has written a new play to be produced and staged only by the army. It is called "Desert Highway," the story of six tankmen stranded in the desert.

John Galsworthy's favorite chair, upholstered in black satin and gold cord brought \$95 at a recent auction of the furniture from the author's former home.

Among the first of the United States troops to set foot on the mainland of Europe, at Salerno last September, was a battalion made up entirely of American-born Japanese.

Thirty large airfields with control rooms, hangars, buildings, camps, etc., have been built in Nigeria for the use of thousands of aircraft which have been sent to the Middle East, and beyond.

The Germans lost 232 of their valuable fleet of night fighters in attempting to defend German cities against R.A.F. attacks in 1943, as against only 69 in 1942, the Air Ministry announced.

SMILE AWHILE

First Civilian: Hurry! There's the air-raid siren.

Second Civilian: Wait! I get my false teeth.

First Civilian: What do you think they're dropping — sandwiches?

Cowboy: "What kind of a saddle do you want—one with a horn or without?"

Dude: "Without, I guess. There doesn't seem to be much traffic on these prairies."

Mother: "Maud, were you a good little girl at church today?"

Child: "Yes, Mother. A man offered me a big plate of money, and I said, 'No, thank you.'"

Young Private Jones slunk on the parade ground ten minutes late. "So you decided to come on parade," said the sergeant, leity. "We were afraid you'd signed a separate peace."

"The law of gravity explains why people stay on the earth."

"How did they stay on before the law was passed?"

Voter: "Why, I wouldn't vote for you if you were St. Peter himself."

Candidate: "If I were St. Peter, you couldn't vote for me. You wouldn't be in my district."

Hesperus: "My girl wore a cellophane costume at the fancy dress ball."

Wreck: "What did you do after the show?"

Hesperus: "We went out on a tear."

"Please, mister, give me another box of those pills which I got for my mother yesterday."

"I sure will; but did your mother say she liked them?"

"No, sir, but they just fit my air gun."

A Customer: "Why do you have an apple as your trade mark? You're a tailor."

Tailor: "Well, if it hadn't been for an apple, where would the clothing business be?"

It's had to date women war workers. They aren't satisfied with a good time—they want time and a half.

Wife (from next room)—Is baby all right, dear?

Husband—He's as good as gold, dear. He's just playing with your complexion.

In the battle of Jutland in 1916 there were only 252 ships on both sides.

RATIONING
TIME TABLE

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Meat (Brown)
Coupons 30, 31, 32 (all pairs) now valid, expire January 31. Coupons 33 (pairs) valid January 6, expire January 31. Coupons 34 (pairs) valid January 13, expire January 31. Coupons 35 (pairs) valid January 20, expire February 29. Coupons 36 (pairs) valid January 27, expire February 29.

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On and after January 17, 1 meat coupon equals ¼ lb. canned salmon.

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Coupons D10 and D11 valid January 6. No expiry date.

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An Unusual Hobby

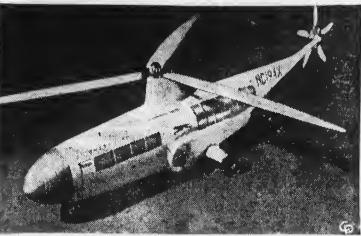
Woman Has Collected Many Bells During Last 25 Years

Mrs. Genevieve Farley, of Brighton, has collected a hundred unusual bells during the past 25 years. Her interest in bells goes back to her days as a telephone switchboard operator when their ringing foretold disaster or happiness. She owns bells used to tell the whereabouts of herds in Tibet, to announce the presence of customers in an old New England tea shop, and to call for rice and tea in an Oriental mansion.

FOR MARKETING POULTRY

Red, blue and brown inks for marking graded poultry have been developed by the Division of Chemistry, Dominion Department of Agriculture, and have been found satisfactory in commercial tests.

"Flying Bus" For Ontario Coach Lines



That "flying buses" will be an important part of after-the-war transportation is indicated in the application to the government of the Toronto Transportation commission to operate air lines over many Ontario routes now travelled by Gray Coach buses. Above is the model of the proposed helicopter or "flying bus" to be used on the T.T.C. air routes servicing key points in Ontario and connecting with Buffalo.

Makes Leaves Profitable

U.S. Soldier Keeps Up His Study Of Seven Languages

Pvt. Lloyd A. Taylor of Philadelphia likes to spend his leaves in New York's foreign restaurants, polishing up his conversation.

There are few in which the Negro private can't surprise the waiters with his knowledge of their native tongue. College courses and spare-time study have given him fluency in seven languages.

Taylor, a medical student at Temple University before he entered the Army last year, spends at least two hours daily continuing his studies in Latin, Spanish, French, German, Greek, Japanese and Chinese.

He hopes the languages may be useful to him in the service. Taylor is now a transportation dispatcher at this Army Air Base.

Farm Accounts

Farm Account Book To Help Record Of Transactions

At all times, the keeping of farm accounts has been associated with good farm management, but under war conditions a precise record of the business transactions in the yearly operation of the farm is a necessity. To assist the farmer in keeping this record, the King's Printer, Ottawa, has available a simple useful little account book. It covers all farm operations and has the great advantage that the keeping of the book does not incur a special knowledge of expert accountancy. The book is entitled "Farm Account Book" and may be obtained from the King's Printer, Ottawa, at the nominal price of ten cents.

The Newest Term

War Factory In Britain Measures Production By "Gran-Hour"

A large British war factory has a new unit for measuring production—the "gran-hour."

This is the term used, and very respectfully, by factory management for the 350 hours of work contributed voluntarily by 52 energetic grandmothers and one great-grandmother.

The grey-haired women, most of whom worked in war factories during the last war, do vital jobs soldering, point-spraying, drilling and assembling. The plant manager said that they are among his most efficient and most dependable workers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 16

JESUS' ANSWERS HIS CRITICS
Golden text: Blessed are ye when men shall reproach you, and persecute you, and say all manner of evil against you, falsely, for my sake. Matthew 5:11.

Lesson: Mark 2:15-3:35.

Devotional reading: Psalm 37:1-9.

Explanations and Comments

1. Criticized for Eating with Publicans and Sinners, Mark 2:15-17. Jesus called Levi to be his disciple, and Levi gave a dinner, seemingly to honor Jesus, and to it he invited other publicans. Scribes and Pharisees who saw Jesus at this dinner criticized him: "How is it that he eateth and drinketh with the sinners and publicans?" They asked the disciples. Jesus met the critics with the words: "They that are whole have no need of a physician, but they that are sick: I came not to call the righteous, but sinners."

2. Criticized for Not Fasting, Mark 2:18-22. In the former episode Jesus' enemies made their criticisms of him to the disciples: now they came to him with a complaint about the disciples, but the criticism was meant for him. The disciples did not observe the customary fasts, they said. Jesus asked, "Can the sons of the bridechamber fast, while the bridegroom is with them?" The friends of a bridegroom conducted the bride and her companions to the house of the bridegroom with singing and playing of musical instruments, and they remained, there for a week of feasting and mirth. It was the time for rejoicing, not fasting, and so was it for the disciples in the presence of the Lord.

3. Criticized for Plucking Ears of Grain on the Sabbath, Mark 2:23-25:27. There were no fences in Galilee, and public paths led through privately owned fields of grain. Jesus and his disciples were walking one Sabbath day along such a path, and the disciples began, as they went, to pluck the ears of barley or of wheat. This was lawful, as Dt. 27:25 shows: "When thou comest into thy neighbor's standing grain, thou mayest pluck the ears with thy hand; but thou shalt not move a sickle unto thy neighbor's standing grain." The Pharisees' criticism of their act was that they did this on the Sabbath. Maimonides had declared that "He that reaps on the Sabbath, though never so little, is guilty, and to pluck the ears of grain is a kind of reaping."

Jesus' reply to their criticism was ironical. "Did ye never read what David did?" "In all your minute study of the letter of the Scriptures, did you never take heed to that page?" When David, he reminded them, was hungry (David was that poor Saul at the time) and had need of bread, he had entered the tabernacle and eaten the showbread and had given it also to his companions, yet it was not lawful for anyone save the priests to eat it.

During a person's waking hours, the eyes are in a continuous state of activity.

A New Method

Chicago University Will Use Records To Teach Foreign Languages

The time required to learn a foreign language will be cut in half by the use of recordings, foreign language authorities at Northwestern University believe.

Edwin R. Place, chairman of the foreign-language department, said the school's new method of instruction minimizes the use of the text book and utilizes recordings played on special phonograph.

"Usually it takes as long as two years to teach a student an elementary speaking ability," he said. "We expect the use of this method to cut the time down to one year."

INCREASES PRICE

Container value often increases the price of foods. For instance, you generally pay more for foods in containers with trick openings and gadgets than for those in plain cartons and this extra cost does not add to the quality of the food.

Holiday Pictures Helped

Were Invaluable In Plans For Invasion Of North Africa

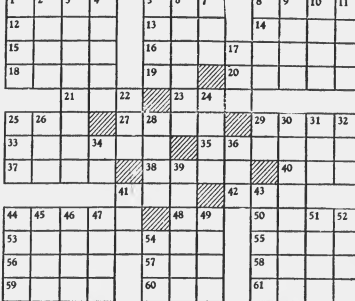
In May of last year, the British Admiralty asked the people for photographs taken on their continental holidays in peacetime, and received about five million in response, reports Britain. These pictures added enormously to the invasion plans for North Africa and Sicily. For instance, it was necessary to know whether beaches were sandy or rocky and what was the extent of the slope. A family photograph showing people wading, swimming or climbing rocks helped to elucidate these points.

WHAT SPARE TIME?

Although he is blind, Clifford Sears of Cummington, Mass., plays the organ in his church, directs the choir, takes organ lessons in nearby Northampton, keeps up his piano practice, operates a profitable magazine agency, carries on a large chair-caning business and spends his spare time working on surrounding farms.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

No. 4863



HORIZONTAL
1 Reckless
2 Foundation
3 Ecclesiastical vestments
4 Turkish regiment
5 Wild goat
6 Great Lake blackbird
7 Story
8 To transmit
9 To infer
10 To summon
11 Chinese measure
12 Glacial ridge
13 To employ
14 To obtain
15 Moslem name
16 Grey
17 Fencing sword
18 Having
19 Hunt
20 Fame
21 Placed on a mound
22 To declare
23 Body of water
24 Period of time

VERTICAL
1 To grate
2 Appellation of Alberta
3 Buoyant
4 Conceals
5 German composer
6 Sufficient
7 Glamor
8 Sinner
9 Small singing bird
10 Azure
11 Prophet
12 To deposit
13 To devour
14 Ancient cult
15 Near the stern
16 Palsied
17 To burn
18 Printer's measure
19 Imaginably true
20 Female sheep
21 Girl's name
22 European fish
23 Unit of work
24 Before
25 Foreign
26 But
27 To this place
28 Lamb's pen-name
29 At any time
30 Comfort
31 Remains
32 Chopping tools
33 To hide

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



REG'LAR FELLERS—Word To The Wise

HELLO, WEATHER BUREAU? THIS IS PINHEAD DUFFY—IS THERE ANY SKATING TODAY?

YES, INDEED—THE ICE IS VERY GOOD AND THICK ENOUGH TO HOLD AN ELEPHANT!

THICK ENOUGH TO HOLD AN ELEPHANT?

THAT'S ALL I WANTA KNOW!

PRISONER DO NOT LOOKS KEEP OUT!

Y' CANT ALWAYS BELIEVE THOSE WEATHER MEN A HUNDRED PER CENT AN, BESIDES, HE DIDN SAY WHETHER IT WAS A BIG ELEPHANT OR A LITTLE ONE!

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FISH

Fish is one of the foods you can use interchangeably with meat as a source of protein. Salt water fish is valuable in your diet for the iodine content.

Many homemakers do not buy fish because they do not know the varieties and which are the best value for their money. Salmon, halibut and cod, besides being a good source of protein, are rich in the vitamins A, D, and G.

You will find that the price of fish is influenced by the locality and season, so you should buy fish when it is in season and the varieties that are caught near your home, for economy's sake.

Another doubtful point in many of your minds is how to tell fresh fish. If the eyes are full and bright, the gills red, the flesh firm and elastic, and there is no disagreeable odour—then the fish is fresh. If you wish to have fish that is not caught near home, it may be bought economically if it has been frozen, salted, pickled, smoked or canned. So you have a wide choice in respect to the varieties and their preservation.

You must not cook fish the same way as you do meat. You must have noticed that fish is never tough. This is due to the fact that there is no connective tissue as there is in meat. Fish should be cooked only long enough (10 minutes per pound is sufficient) to develop the flavour and change the texture. Prolonged cooking dries out the fish and spoils the flavour.

You should cook fish several different ways to add a variety to your menus. Fillets and small fish may be broiled or pan-broiled in oil or fat and basted during the cooking to prevent the fish drying out. Fish may be coated with bread crumbs and egg or cornmeal and fried in fat at a high temperature to prevent the fat soaking into the fish. Larger size fish may be stuffed and baked in a moderate oven, basting with melted fat, or salt pork or lean bacon placed on top of the fish will add richness and flavour. You could wrap fish to be boiled in cheese cloth to facilitate handling.

Lack of colour, flavour, and richness in fish can easily be supplied by garnishes and sauces; e.g., lemon, cucumber, parsley, tartar, tomato or egg sauce.

For tempting recipes write to the Western Division Health League of Canada, 121 Avenue Road, Toronto, Ontario.

OUR COMPLETE

SHORT STORY—

Time To Retire

By JANET DORAN

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Vicky Van closed the door to the main ward and sat down in the hard oak chair at the hard oak desk. Gently she untied her shoes and slipped them off, wriggled her toes and sighed in deep relief. Her hand on the desk, like a toothache, it had hurt ever since the night she'd stood in the snow-covered hospital yard helping apply first aid measures to five smash-up victims.

It was silent with the brooding hush of dawn in the big hospital, and Vicky's fifty years rested heavily on her square shoulders at such times. Still, she wasn't old. Ridiculous that! Nurses and doctors achieved their valuable years at this age.

The light over 18 flared red and began winking violently. Nurse Van put on her shoes over protesting feet. Damn Mrs. Kelsey! She demanded more attention than the private patients with special nurses and topflight specialists dancing attendance on them. And there was nothing wrong with her except that she drank too much coffee, ate too many sweets and howled when she had a pain.

"Yes, Mrs. Kelsey," Vicky Van said soothingly.

"Call Dr. Baird, Miss Van; it's my heart again."

"Your heart is sound as a brick, Mrs. Kelsey," Vicky snapped. "And Dr. Baird can't be disturbed except in an emergency."

"You'd let me die like this?" Plainly Mrs. Kelsey accused Vicky of murder.

Vicky finished taking her pulse. Normal. She took her temperature, and went to look at the sleeping girl in the curtained alcove next the window.

Althea Valenski had an incurable cardiac disease, yet she made fewer demands than anyone else in the ward. Guessing her hours were numbered, she bore her pain and terror patiently lest those few remaining days become a burden to others.

It was shrewd observation of Althea that provided Mrs. Kelsey with a pattern for her imaginary ailments. She opened her eyes now and smiled wanly at Vicky; reached to touch her hand mutely, then closed her eyes.

Back in her chair Vicky again took off her shoes. A baby cried fretfully in the maternity ward. In the diet kitchen a nurse whipped a milk shake, and the dumb-waiter stopped with the usual five o'clock coffee and toast.

Time to retire indeed, thought Vicky. She'd like to tell Dr. Baird a thing or two!

On duty at seven that night she found a call order awaiting her. "Super's office, Van; hope it isn't tough luck." The little day nurse flung her a warm smile as she hurried away.

"Miss Van, Dr. Baird wants you. It's Mrs. Kelsey—she's been reporting everyone from the janitor up for neglect of duty and mayhem today."

"Miss Van, did you refuse to report a heart attack when Mrs. Kelsey expressly told you to call me last night?" Dr. Baird demanded.

"Mrs. Kelsey's heart is as sound as yours, Doctor Baird. I thought you needed the rest."

"It's not your place to do my thinking for me, Miss Van! Mrs. Kelsey has made a difficult situation for all of us out of this. She complained to the Board and the Superintendent, and we'll be fortunate if she doesn't go to the City Hall and Capitol, too."

"I'm sorry, Doctor. It wasn't a heart attack."

"I'll have to give you a young assistant, Miss Van. I can't cope with this continued disturbance over trifles."

Vicky went about her work with a heavy heart. She wasn't too old. She wasn't! And she needed this job. She had no kin, nowhere to go, nothing to do beyond this. She'd built her whole life around nursing.

The light flashed sometime later and she jumped to answer the signal. But this time Mrs. Kelsey had pulled the cord for Althea, not herself. One look, and Vicky dove for the emergency cord.

"Get Baird on the run!" she ordered. Minutes that seemed hours later, she felt Dr. Baird's presence. Saw despair in his face as he worked to relief the fading spark of life.

It was unfortunate that Mrs. Kelsey took this occasion to stage one of her fake attacks. Unfortunate in that Vicky was concerned with sav-

ing a life, not pandering to the tantrums of a hypochondriac. "My heart!" whimpered Mrs. Kelsey.

Vicky, handing Dr. Baird instruments from the enamel tray, ignored her. Althea's face grew grey, her pulse fluttered lower, stopped, then flickered again.

"Water!" moaned Mrs. Kelsey. "I'm dying!"

Vicky flung a glassful of ice water in her face and yanked a fresh needle into the adrenal injector. Dr. Baird worked on in the awful silence of desperation.

Hours afterwards, Vicky crept down the corridor, cap in hand, hair limp about a wet, exhausted face. Althea was alive, but she was through. She'd hand Baird her resignation now. Time to retire when you lost your temper in a tight spot.

"Ah... Van... come in," Dr. Baird lit his briar and eyed her under beetling grizzled brows. "Glad we won, Van, but it was a tough experience."

Vicky's tired eyes widened with surprise. Not a word about insubordination! Not a word about quitting.

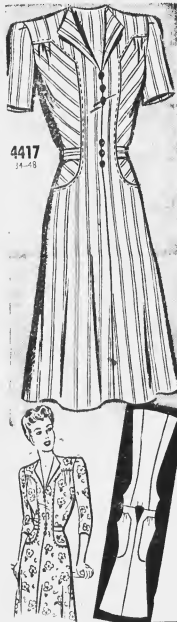
"I came to tender my resignation, Dr. Baird. I guess you're right, it's time I retired."

"Resign? Retire? Great hat, what for, Van? Best nurse in an emergency we've ever had. Anyone less experienced would have fallen for that phony act the Kelsey woman staged, but you knew that every second counts when you're fighting a bad heart lesion."

"Thank you, Dr. Baird, guess I'll turn in," said Vicky feebly.

"Do! Time we both had a little shut-eye. See you're on duty on time tonight, Van! We need you at Brandt Memorial."

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UNITED NATIONS FOOD CONFERENCE

"It has for too long been taken for granted that food is available to all," says the Canadian Medical Association Journal in commenting on the conference on Food and Agriculture held at Hot Springs Ark. when representatives of 44 countries, nine of them occupied by enemy forces, took part.

"For the past twenty years there has been a rising tide of education on the subject of nutrition. It has reached such heights as to raise hope that the average individual is beginning to absorb the main principles... and yet that is not the most important side of the matter. It is well to teach the principles of good nutrition, but it is necessary to have the food first. That the production of food can be made adequate has never been questioned. That there has been a failure to distribute food reasonably and to all, is equally beyond question. The paradox of starvation of the consumer and ruin of the producer in a world of plenty is one at which we may well gaze with dismay. There is, therefore, more than ordinary significance in the recent United Nations Conference on Food and Agriculture... The delegates could not bind their countries as they had no power to do so, but they made unanimous recommendations which should be highly effective in each country... Only through the work of the League of Nations could an accurate and comprehensive picture of the state of nutrition throughout the world be available... and it will be one of the tasks of the proposed United Nations food and agricultural organization to complete the picture in detail and replace it by a bismal one."

The article went on to say that from the medical point of view the work of the Conference holds out hope of the problem being approached practically. Only by its solution can the prevention of disease, on a scale far beyond what could be done by separate medical planning, be attained. Indeed "no plans for the betterment of human health can be more than imperfect makeshifts so long as nutrition is poor."

MORE BARBED WIRE

Production of barbed wire will be increased in Canada this year, and this should be welcome news to farmers and ranchers who require wire in large quantities. Manufacturers will be allowed to establish consignment and storage stocks at the head of the Great Lakes to meet western requirements during the months of closed navigation.

OILCLOTH CONSERVATION

Oilcloth pasted down on the table with a flour paste will wear longer than if it is tacked on. When this is done it cannot wrinkle or crack when being washed. Waxing the oilcloth will add to its wear, too.

ESSENTIAL VITAMINS

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Agriculture In Canada

Employs Almost 30 Per Cent. Of The Total Gainfully Employed Population

Agriculture in Canada employed almost 30 per cent. of the total gainfully occupied population, and about 34 per cent. or over one-third, of the gainfully occupied males. In addition, agriculture provided the raw materials for many Canadian manufactures, and its products in raw or manufactured form constituted a very large percentage of Canadian exports. The estimated annual gross value of dairy products in recent years has been placed at over 301 million dollars, almost 100 million dollars higher than the estimated annual value of the gold production of Canada.

Milk is produced in every province of Canada and its sale brings pay cheques to about 420,000 farmers. To this number might be added between 35 and 40 thousand employees in distributing and manufacturing plants. Thus, producers, employees, and their families account for about 17 per cent. of the total population. Some authorities estimate that at least one-fifth of Canada's population is dependent upon the dairy industry for a living. The production and marketing of milk products might rightly be considered as one of the greatest national industries.

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Tumbling Mustard

Came To Prairie Provinces From Central Europe About 1887

Tumbling mustard was first introduced into the the Prairie Provinces from central and southern Europe about 1887. Each pod contains about 120 seeds and a single plant has enough to bear about 1,500,000 seeds. When the seeds are ripe the whole head breaks off and is blown across the prairie, scattering seeds far and wide. As the seeds are not easily shed from the tough pods, a head may be blown across the prairie for a whole winter, dropping a few seeds at intervals for many miles.

Flying automobiles, with detachable wings, are predicted by a high-ways official. Many a leaping pedestrian has felt the need of such a device for his own use.

Asthma Mucus Loosened First Day

Coughing, gasping, wheezing Asthma and Bronchitis run your head. The prescription Astma-Tabs quickly circulates through the blood, promptly helping to curb these attacks and usually the first day the mucus is loosened, thus giving free easy breathing and restful sleep. Just send your name, card will do for \$1.00 Astma-Tabs free cost. No obligation. Just tell others if it stops your Asthma attacks. Knox Company, 174 Knox Bldg., Fort Erie North, Ontario.

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If you're cross, restless, NERVOUS—suffer hot flashes, dizziness—caused by this period in a woman's life—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Made especially for women. Hundreds of women have remarkably helped. Follow label directions. Made in Canada.

Women Architects

Are Winning Growing Recognition In Great Britain

The part played by women architects in Great Britain is winning growing recognition. The proportion of girls among the students at the School of Architecture has increased from 20% before the war to 50% today. Women architects are making a valuable contribution to the war effort, doing good work for several Ministries on the construction of factories, camps, aerodromes, hostels and in the field of camouflage. Women are also busily engaged on the planning of post-war building.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

LEARNING

True wisdom is to know what is best worth knowing, and to do what is best worth doing.—Humphrey.

A heap of ill-chosen erudition is but the luggage of antiquity.—Baltaze.

The aim of education should be to convert the mind into a living fountain, and not a reservoir. That which is filled by merely pumping in, will be emptied by pumping out.—John M. Mason.

To know the laws of God in nature and revelation, and then to fashion the affections and will into harmony with those laws—this is education.—S. F. Sevel.

The first consideration a wise man fixeth upon is the great end of his creation; what it is, and wherein it consists; the next is of the most proper means to that end.—Walker.

Sooner or later we shall learn that the fetters of man's finite capacity are forged by the illusion that he lives in body instead of in Soul, in matter instead of in Spirit.—Mary Baker Eddy.

KNITTING SOCKS

When knitting socks for men on active service, some experts claim that a thread of ordinary sewing cotton should be knitted into the heels and toes. The cotton, which must be the exact shade of the wool so it won't show, acts as a reinforcement and gives the socks longer wear.

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Tales of Manhattan

The story of a tail-coat with the picture following the coat
through various episodes and strata of life.

also NEWS and NOVELTY

Tuesday and Wednesday, January 18 and 19

DOUBLE PROGRAM

Kenny BAKER and Patricia MORISON, in
"SILVER SKATES"

also an ALL STAR CAST, in

"One Thrilling Night"

Thursday and Friday, January 20 and 21

DOUBLE PROGRAM

Mickey ROONEY and Judy GARLAND in
"GIRL CRAZY"

also an ALL STAR CAST in

"Stardust on the Sage"

Cole's Theatre, Bellevue

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, January 15, 17 and 18
Brian DONLEVY, Walter BRENNAN and Anna LEE, in

'Hangmen Also Die'

also NEWS, NOVELTY and SHORTS

Orpheum Theatre, Blairmore

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, January 15, 17 and 18

Bing CROSBY and Dorothy LAMOUR, in

"DIXIE"

Local News

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. William Mozell on Sunday, January 2, a son.

Mrs. A. Montalbetti was a Lethbridge visitor last week.

Mr. Leo. Gelinas attended the funeral of his uncle last week at Cranbrook.

Wm. Fraser jr. was a recent Calgary visitor.

Pte. and Mrs. R. Szymanek, of Red Deer, spent the holidays at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Krywolt.

Mrs. Adam Wilson has received word of the safe arrival in Britain of her brothers, PO Rick D'Amico and Petty Officer Sammy D'Amico.

The Journal welcomes as one of its new readers Mr. J. K. Wood of Lethbridge.

John and Phyllis Graham are visiting at Lethbridge.

George Derbyshire is a hospital patient, having undergone an operation last Friday. He is now progressing favorably.

Sgt. Wm. Graham, R.C.A.F., left on Monday for his eastern Canada base after spending a furlough with his family.

According to the latest issue of the Alberta Gazette the town of St. Paul has contracted to be policed by the R.C.M.P.

Miss Mary DeCocco is spending the week at Kimberley, where she is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Fabro and Mrs. B. Redisky.

Thanks is expressed to Mrs. Thomas Clarke, of Lethbridge, for her renewal subscription received on Tuesday morning.

The Georgian Singers, of Toronto, are to be heard each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock over CP-CN. Freda Antrobus is a member of the group.

TO GET A REALLY Appetizing Meal VISIT THE WHITE LUNCH CAFE

The Ladies Aid, of St. Paul's United church will hold their annual Valentine Tea in the church club room on Saturday, Feb. 12. Please reserve this date.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Watson and children, of Vancouver, arrived here on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Watson has now gained employment at one of the local mines.

Mr. Idris Evans, of Blairmore, has returned home after driving Mr. and Mrs. Roland Pinkney to Spokane last week. Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney were enroute to Portland where the former will undergo hospital treatment.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William Golis, of Bracket announce the engagement of their daughter, Julia, to Mr. Joseph Jumarchik, of Coleman. The wedding will take place Mar. 11.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

Boss: "Henry, you're a liar. You took a day off to bury your mother-in-law and I met her in the park this morning."
Henry: "Oh, I didn't say she was dead, sir, I just said I would like to go to her funeral."

Quality Goods

RITZ BISCUITS, Christie's, 2 pkgs. .35

GINGER SNAPS, fresh stock, 1-lb cello bag .18

GRAHAM WAFERS, I.B.C., Christie's or White Cross, per package .25

LEMON PIE FILLER, Meadow Sweet, tin .20

MALTED MILK, Borden's, 1-lb cello pkg .55

SALAD DRESSING, Miracle Whip, 8-oz jar .23

SAUERKRAUT, gallon tin .69

BIRD SEED, Brock's, per package .20

BIRD GRAVEL, per package .15

TIP TOP SAUCE, per bottle .25

BEEFSTEAK SAUCE, Heinz, per bottle .30

MINT SAUCE, Leland's, per bottle .25

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SHREDDED WHEAT, 3 packages .40

PUFFED RICE, Quaker, 2 packages .25

PUFFED WHEAT, Quaker, 3 packages .29

GRAPE NUTS, 2 packages .35

GRAPE NUT FLAKES, 2 packages .25

KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, 3 for 29c and 2 for .29

CORN FLAKES, Quaker, 3 packages .29

ALL BRAN, Kellogg's, per package .25

ROLLED OATS, Ogilvie's Quick Cooking, 6-lb sack .40

KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES, BRAN FLAKES or PEP, 2 packages for .29

RED RIVER CEREAL, per package .25

ROMAN MEAL, Dr. Jackson's, per package .35

NEWPORT FLUFFS, per package 25c and .39

SUNNY BOY CEREAL, per package .35

ALL WHEAT, Kellogg's, Free Tumbler, 2 packages .29

ROLLED OATS, quick cooking, with Tumbler, per package .29

ROLLED OATS, Ogilvie's, Quick, Non-Premium, per pkg .25

SHREDDIES, for the kids, 2 packages .29

MUFFETS, Whole Wheat Biscuits, 2 packages .25

Soaps

CHIPSO, Regular package .27

OXYDOL, Regular package .27

RINSO, Regular .27 RINSO, Giant .55

MAPLE LEAF FLAKES, per package .69

THRIFT SOAP FLAKES, per package .47

PRINCESS SOAP FLAKES, per package .27

IVORY SNOW, 2 packages .53

LUX FLAKES, per package .27

SAL SODA, 2 packages .35

SWANSDOWN CAKE FOOD, per package .35

TEA-BISK, makes perfect biscuits, per package .40

PANCAKE FLOUR, Aunt Jemima's, per package .25

CORN STARCH, Canada, 2 packages .25

LAUNDRY STARCH, Silver Gloss, 2 packages .29

MACARONI, 5-pound box .30

SPAGHETTI, 10-pound box .60

MACARONI, Quaker, Quick Cooking, 1-lb package .15

SPAGHETTI, Castelli's, 2 packages .25

CREAMO MACARONI, 8-oz package, 2 for .19

Cocoa

FRY'S COCOA, 1-pound tin .33

BAKER'S COCOA, 1-pound tin .33

COWAN'S COCOA, 1-pound tin .29

DANNY BOY COCOA, 1-pound tin .29

POSTUM, .35 POSTUM, 8-oz tin .60

SPECIAL—1 Writing Pad and 1 Package Envelopes for .20

LOBSTER, finest quality, halves, per tin .75

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BOVRIL, 2-oz jar .45 BOVRIL, 4-oz jar .85

OVALTINE, 8-oz tin .60 OVALTINE, 16-oz tin 1.00

ENERGY, Chocolate Food Drink, 16-oz package .29

POSTUM CEREAL, 18-oz package .55

TABLE NAPKINS, White, box of 70 .15

PILCHARDS, Clover Leaf, per tin .20